decision of the Commission shall be issued by October 1, 1998.

### Joseph C. Polking,

Secretary.

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### FEDERAL MARITIME COMMISSION

# Ocean Freight Forwarder License; Applicants

Notice is hereby given that the following applicants have filed with the Federal Maritime Commission applications for licenses as ocean freight forwarders pursuant to section 19 of the Shipping Act of 1984 (46 U.S.C. app. 1718 and 46 CFR Part 510).

Persons knowing of any reason why any of the following applicants should not receive a license are requested to contact the Office of Freight Forwarders, Federal Maritime Commission, Washington, D.C. 20573.

Hansa U.S.A. Corporation, 2654 N.W. 112th Avenue, Miami, FL 33172, Officers: Marcus Kadur, President, William R. Fulford, Vice President

Tradewinds of Orlando, Inc., 2003 Viscount Row, Orlando, FL 32809, Officers: John Brealey, President, Dawn M. Clay, Vice President

DGM Services, Inc. d/b/a Dangerous Goods Management & DG Express, 13875 Ella Blvd., Suite 1711, Houston, TX 77014, Officers: Jean C. Petillon, President, Marc H. Petillon, Vice President

Speco International Inc., d/b/a K & B Freight Forwarding, 3405 N.W. 9th Avenue, Suite 1205, Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33309, Officer: Martin Katari, President

Seven Ocean Services, Ltd., 10463 Del Norte Way, Los Alamitos, CA 90720, Officer: Harold Deguardo, President

CNS Express Company, 2415 S. Sequoia Drive, Rm. B, Compton, CA 90220, Nancy Lee, Sole Proprietor

Dated: June 3, 1997.

### Joseph C. Polking,

Secretary.

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### **FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM**

# Formations of, Acquisitions by, and Mergers of Bank Holding Companies

The companies listed in this notice have applied to the Board for approval,

pursuant to the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956 (12 U.S.C. 1841 et seq.) (BHC Act), Regulation Y (12 CFR Part 225), and all other applicable statutes and regulations to become a bank holding company and/or to acquire the assets or the ownership of, control of, or the power to vote shares of a bank or bank holding company and all of the banks and nonbanking companies owned by the bank holding company, including the companies listed below.

The applications listed below, as well as other related filings required by the Board, are available for immediate inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank indicated. Once the application has been accepted for processing, it will also be available for inspection at the offices of the Board of Governors. Interested persons may express their views in writing on the standards enumerated in the BHC Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(c)). If the proposal also involves the acquisition of a nonbanking company, the review also includes whether the acquisition of the nonbanking company complies with the standards in section 4 of the BHC Act. Unless otherwise noted, nonbanking activities will be conducted throughout the United States.

Unless otherwise noted, comments regarding each of these applications must be received at the Reserve Bank indicated or the offices of the Board of Governors not later than July 3, 1997.

A. Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis (Randall C. Sumner, Vice President) 411 Locust Street, St. Louis, Missouri 63102-2034:

1. City Bancorp, Springfield, Missouri; to become a bank holding company by acquiring 100 percent of the voting shares of THE BANK, Springfield, Missouri, a de novo bank.

**B. Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis** (Karen L. Grandstrand, Vice President) 250 Marquette Avenue, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55480-2171:

1. Norwest Corporation, Minneapolis, Minnesota; to acquire 100 percent of the voting shares of Woodhaven National Bank, Fort Worth, Texas.

2. Norwest Corporation, Minneapolis, Minnesota; to merge with Myers Bancshares, Inc., Dallas, Texas, and thereby indirectly acquire Continental State Bank, Boyd, Texas.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, June 4, 1997.

### Jennifer J. Johnson,

Deputy Secretary of the Board. [FR Doc. 97–15002 Filed 6–6–97; 8:45 am] BILLING CODE 6210–01–F

## **FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM**

Notice of Proposals To Engage in Permissible Nonbanking Activities or To Acquire Companies That are Engaged in Permissible Nonbanking Activities

The companies listed in this notice have given notice under section 4 of the Bank Holding Company Act (12 U.S.C. 1843) (BHC Act) and Regulation Y, (12 CFR Part 225) to engage de novo, or to acquire or control voting securities or assets of a company that engages either directly or through a subsidiary or other company, in a nonbanking activity that is listed in § 225.28 of Regulation Y (12 CFR 225.28) or that the Board has determined by Order to be closely related to banking and permissible for bank holding companies. Unless otherwise noted, these activities will be conducted throughout the United States.

Each notice is available for inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank indicated. Once the notice has been accepted for processing, it will also be available for inspection at the offices of the Board of Governors. Interested persons may express their views in writing on the question whether the proposal complies with the standards of section 4 of the BHC Act.

Unless otherwise noted, comments regarding the applications must be received at the Reserve Bank indicated or the offices of the Board of Governors not later than June 24, 1997.

# A. Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis (Karen L. Grandstrand, Vice President) 250 Marquette Avenue, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55480-2171:

1. Waseca Bancshares, Inc., Waseca, Minneosta; to engage de novo through its subsidiary American Savings, Inc., Farmington, Minnesota, in acquiring an industrial loan and thrift company, pursuant to § 225.28(b)(4)(i) of the Board's Regulation Y. This activity will be conducted throughout Farmington, Minnesota.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System, June 4, 1997.

### Jennifer J. Johnson,

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